Subject: Spanish 8-peso coin (Lima, Peru)

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MARGERY QUIGLEY, LIBRARIAN

April 22, 1921.

American Numismatic Society
New York City

Gentlemen:

I have a Spanish coin which I would like to sell. If you will not buy it, will you please suggest a place of sale? Will you also give me some idea of its value?

A rubbing is enclosed. The face of the coin reads 1600. Carolus IIII. Dei. Gratia. The reverse reads Rex. ME. 8R. I. I. Hispan. et Ind The ribbon about the pillars and coat of arms reads Plus Ultra.

Very truly yours,

Margery Quigley

April 23rd, 1921

Miss Margery Guigley
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Dear Madam:

The coin of which you enclose a rubbing is an 8-peso piece struck at Lima, Peru, and has no value other than its silver value. These coins go into the melting pot when they are sold. We would advise you to get what you can from your local jeweller.

Very truly yours,

Curator

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